one year nor more than five years, unless the amount for which he is a defaulter be sooner paid, and the certificate of the Comptroller of the State of Maryland, or of the respective Clerks of the County Commissioners, showing the accused to be a defaulter, shall in every prosecution under this section be received as prima facie evidence of such defalcation, and the Judges of the Courts having criminal juris-Law to be diction in this State shall give this law in charge to given to the Grand Juries summoned to their respective Grand Juries. Courts.

Approved April 1, 1872.

CHAPTER 331.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money to pay the claims of B. Duncan Smith, Thomas S. Nutwell, John Murphy and Company, Maryland Steamboat Company, James M. Anderson and Son, Michael and Brother, James E. Tate, Sprigg Harwood, Samuel Stewart, Wheelwright, Mudge and Company, John A. Dunbar, and Mrs. Maria L. Bigger.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Appropriat'n Maryland, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby to pay sundry requested and directed to issue his warrant upon the persons. Treasurer to pay to B. Duncan Smith, late Collector of Anne Arundel county, for taxes overpaid, as per certificate of the Comptroller, thirty-seven dollars and sixty cents; to Thomas S. Nutwell, late Collector of Anne Arundel county, for taxes overpaid, as per certificate of the Comptroller, fourteen dollars and eighty-two cents; to John Murphy and Company, for stationery furnished the General Assembly of eighteen hundred and seventy, five hundred and sixty-six dollars and four cents; to the Maryland Steamboat Company, for freight on chairs for Senate